

CARMICHAEL- REPLIES TO HENDERSON

**Says Declaration of Governor-
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Legislators.**

Montgomery, Ala., Jan. 10.—Charles Henderson's statement that he will support the candidacy of Edward Johnston, of Madison county, for the position of speaker of the house of representatives, came as a surprise to a large majority of the members of the legislature, according to A. H. Carmichael, of Colbert, prohibition candidate for the speakership.

In connection with the statement of Mr. Henderson, Mr. Carmichael made the following reply:

"The declaration and warning issued by Governor Henderson came as a surprise to a large majority of the members of the legislature. The apology offered by him for his unprecedented action does not, in the opinion of my friends, justify his efforts to name the presiding officers of the House and Senate.

"I assert, and can establish the fact that my race is more vigorous, and that I have more supporters than before the governor's paper was issued."

Need an extra pair of pants? \$4 pants, \$2.75; \$5 pants, \$3.55, in O. P. Green's big clearance sale.

YOU MAY WATCH—
—the customers of the Red Front 5 and 10c Store—they are as a whole enterprising, thrifty and economical, buying where their money has the greatest purchasing power.

SHOWS FINE LINE HERE.
T. L. Cook, manager of the American Woolen Mills, which concern has some 200 stores in the United States, has established headquarters on East Main street, and is showing a fine line of Spring and Summer woolsens. At present Mr. and Mrs. Cook are domiciled at the home of J. W. Grant on Foster Street.



To become a universal favorite, Chero-Cola had to be the perfect drink that it is. Take yours from the original bottle through a straw. You will enjoy its uniform flavor and the certainty of its cleanliness.



HENDERSON FOR LOCAL WOODMEN JOHNSTON AND ARE AFTER 1917 OSCAR LEWIS HEAD CAMP MEET

Montgomery, Ala., Jan. 10.—Charles Henderson, governor-elect, will support the candidacy of Edward Johnston for speaker of the house and Oscar Lewis for president pro tem of the senate, according to a statement issued from his home in Troy by Mr. Henderson tonight. Following is the statement issued by Mr. Henderson:

"To the People of Alabama: President Wilson has declared that 'the governor is a part of the legislature.' It has never heretofore been necessary for the governor-elect of this state to take a positive position in the organization of its legislative bodies, but there has arisen an unprecedented situation, which demands that the governor-elect should take a firm stand in the most important matter. The unparalleled situation is brought about through methods used in the attempt to organize legislative bodies, for the purpose of thwarting the expressed will of the people. I now warn those who are lending their aid to this purpose that it has a much deeper significance than many now foresee. Therefore I call on every friend, and all in sympathy with my policies, to support Hon. Oscar S. Lewis for president pro tem of the senate, with full power to appoint all committees, and Hon. E. D. Johnston for speaker of the house of representatives. These gentlemen are my loyal friends and are democrats in whose integrity of purpose and patriotism I repose the most implicit confidence."

—Charles Henderson.

BIBLE CLASS ELECTS OFFICERS

The Livingston Bible Class of the Presbyterian Church, completed its first year of organization last Sunday, and elected new officers for the new year. The class has grown within the past twelve months from a membership of four to thirty-five.

The new officers for the present year are as follows: President, John Jackson; Vice President, Denton Carr; Treasurer, George Lewis; Secretary, Lemox Morgan; Field Secretary, Henry Sempkens; Editor, Harley Jones.

The class will combine many social pleasure features with the other regular work during the present year, and will be glad to welcome any boys as members who are not attending other schools. Come on Sunday and you won't miss again.

John Jackson, President.

Officers of the local lodge Woodmen of the World, will be formally installed at a meeting of the lodge tomorrow night at 7:30 o'clock, at which time plans will be laid for bringing the 1917 meeting of the Head Camp to Dothan.

The Head Camp will meet this year at Selma, and these gatherings are only held once every other year. The Dothan lodge purposes to put up a stiff fight for the 1917 convention, and it is believed the Dothan invitation will receive fair consideration. Members of the local lodge will explain the various reasons why the Head Camp should meet in this city in 1917, at the proper time.

Knights of Columbus To Probe Reports

New York, Jan. 10.—Investigation of an alleged movement by the anti-Catholic societies and publication to drive Catholics out of public life has been undertaken by the commission on religious prejudice authorized by the Supreme Council of the Knights of Columbus. It was announced today by the Rev. J. J. Wynne, editor of the Catholic Encyclopedia, that an appropriation of \$50,000 has been made for the inquiry.

At the conclusion of its present meeting in this city, the commission will prepare for a session in Chicago on March 6, to be followed by meetings in other large cities.

Criminal prosecution has already been ordered by the Department of justice against one widely circulated anti-Catholic publication, it was announced, and others will follow. It also was announced that the commission would oppose vigorously the stand taken by the Postmaster General in his report published in December regarding the use of the mails by such publications.

Charged With Counterfeiting

Watersbury, Conn., Jan. 10.—Paul Rowengarten was arrested here today on a federal warrant charging him with counterfeiting. A search of his home revealed many papers of an incriminating nature and a quantity of gold dust, the police say. They believe he cooperated with four other persons recently arrested at Marlborough. More arrests are expected the authorities said.

LACK OF HEAT CAUSE FILING OF COMPLAINTS

**Mrs. S. C. Carroll, Mrs. Nellie Watson and Sarah Watson File
Suits Against Central of Georgia Railway for \$1,000 Each.**

Lack of warmth in the waiting room at the passenger station in Samson on or about January 11, 1914, is the cause of damage suits having been filed in the Circuit Court here against the Central of Georgia railway by three plaintiffs, each claiming damages in the sum of \$1,000, according to the petition.

The plaintiffs are Mrs. S. C. Carroll, Mrs. Nellie Watson and Sarah Watson, who are suing through her next friend, Mrs. Nellie Watson. Each plaintiff asks \$1,000 damages from the railroad corporation.

The bill of complaint sets out that the three plaintiffs went to the railroad station in Samson on a very cold day, that there was no fire in the waiting room, that they were strangers in the town and that no agent or other official was on hand to give them information. It is further averred that the train was two hours late and that they waited at the station during this time and caught cold. They were all about fifteen days, it is alleged.

After waiting some two hours at the station, the defendants got on the belated train and went to Taylor according to the complaint. The papers in the case were filed with Clerk W. A. Brown of the Circuit Court, Saturday night about 11 o'clock, he says.

WILL FILE OUSTER SUIT TODAY

Jefferson City, Mo., Jan. 10.—Suits to oust from Missouri an alleged combination to control St. Louis bread prices will be filed tomorrow by Attorney General Barker, he announced tonight. The suit will be directed against one company, which it is charged, formed a pool and trust agreement with seven others. The attorney general will charge that the size of loaves was reduced from 16 ounces to 13 ounces under the alleged agreement, and that the combination controls sale of 75 per cent of the bread sold in St. Louis.

Your money is worth taking care of,—that's why you should do more of your trading at the Red Front 10c Store.

MAYOR OF TERRE HAUTE AR- RESTED IN ELECTION SCANDAL



Mayor Don M. Roberts and Mrs. Roberts.

Mayor Don M. Roberts of Terre Haute, Indiana, who has been placed under arrest as a result of the federal grand jury investigation into the alleged frauds perpetrated at the recent election in that city. Mrs. Roberts, the Mayor's wife, is making an attempt to have her husband released on bail.

PIG CLUBS ARE BEING FORMED

Waycross, Ga., Jan. 10.—With pig clubs being organized in every district of the county, and truck growers of the Nicholls section perfecting an association that promises to be one of the leading organizations of the kind in South Georgia. Coffee county begins 1915 with prospects of solving a few of the problems confronting Georgia. Prizes worth working for will be offered in the pig contests. In forming the truck growers association at Nicholls farmers list the acreage they will plant, designating what they will grow. Through a sales arrangement produce will be sold for a sidetrack. Over one hundred acres have been pledged, and five hundred more are in sight. Those investigating the matter claim they will have no trouble in disposing of all produce at fair prices.

OLEVER SHOW WINDOW.

B. W. Clendinen & Company has one of the most unique show windows in the city, which was designed by Holt Simonton. Spectators wonder how an electric light globe is lighted by wireless. The illusion is good, but the problem explains itself if one looks long and closely enough.

The Chicago Post says the effect the Red Front 10c Store has on the city is like a magnet. It draws in a large number of people and does an enormous business.

MISSIONARIES FACE STARVING

Washington, Jan. 10.—Hundreds of religious workers in the Holy lands are facing starvation, according to reports received today by the Rev. Godfrey Schilling, of the Franciscan order, commissary general for the Holy land in the United States.

The reports declare the Turks have turned the Franciscans out of nearly all of their convents in Armenia, Upper Syria and Galilee, leaving in Jerusalem flourishing communities of the Assumptionists, Dominicans, Fathers of Zion, White Fathers, Benedictines and Carmelite Sisters, Poor Clares and other orders are said to have been put into the streets.

In response to early reports of trouble the matter was taken up with the state department. Thus far, however, efforts to arrange for care of the sufferers have been unavailing.

MARSHALL P. WILDER

DIED IN ST. PAUL

St. Paul, Jan. 10.—Marshall P. Wilder, the author and humorist, died at a hotel here today. His death was due to pneumonia, complicated by heart disease. He was born in Geneva, N. Y., in 1860.

Thanks the city: Many thanks for trading at the Red Front 10c Store.

OVER HALF CHILDREN NOT IN SCHOOL

**Figures Submitted Show
Children in This County
School, Against 6007
Not in School.**

There are 11,914 children between the ages of 6 and 14 in Houston county, and 49.3 per cent of them are in school, according to the U. S. Census Bureau.

This shows that the percentage of children of school age attending school, while fairly high, is not as high as the average for the state.

Following is the complete enumeration: children 6 to 14, number, 3583, number attending school, 1510; children 15 to 17, total number, 4042, number attending school, 2707; children 18 to 20, total number, 1201, number attending school, 607.

The report shows that in this county who are not in school, against 5677 who are in school. Or in other words, of the children of school age in this county are not in school.

M. A. Williams left today for Philadelphia, Pa., and New York, where he will put in his Spring and Summer line of men's furnishings.

FIREMEN RUNS 24 HOURS

From 1 o'clock Friday morning until the same hour day morning, the fire department made five runs, but no fires were noticed. There were no fires, but the firemen were on duty.

D. J. Williams left today for Philadelphia, Pa., and New York, where he will put in his Spring and Summer line of men's furnishings.

A bad case of pneumonia, Dillard, colored, 35 years old, caught the disease about 11:30, but no consequence was shown. Men used the chamber with success.

\$3 hats, \$2.50; \$4 hats, \$2.75; others proportionate in O. P. Green's big clearance sale.

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LATEST
LATEST

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SOCIETY NEWS

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The Lovers.

One Lover went out with a butterfly net,

Dainty and debonaire,

He laughed a laugh that was light and gay,

And angled for hearts in a nonchalant way,

But never a heart could he win!

And one went out with a coach and four,

And long were the trumpets blown,

Heralds rode east and heralds rode west,

And north and south in a diligent quest—

Let love ride home alone.

But one there was with a broken wing,

*And a beggar's cloak of gray—

And a golden heart was dropped for alms

Into the little beggar's blind palms,

By a queen as she passed his way!

—Puck.

A Thought for The New Year

Start the day with a thought that holds sweet joys within.

As the perfume is held in rose

For the day that with beautiful thoughts may begin

Hold its beauty all through till its close.

Here are sunshine and song, here are laughter and light,

Here are balsams for worry and fear

For the happiness held till the hush of the night,

Leaves a blessing that glows with glad cheer

Rejected.

"Perhaps she's dancing 'some where now,"

The thoughts of light and love

are wake

Sharp jealousies, that grow and grow

Till silence and the darkness ache.

He sees her step, so proud and gay,

Which, ere he spoke, foretold despair.

Thus did she look, on such a day,

And such the fashion of her hair.

And thus she stood, when stooping low,

He took the bramble from her dress.

And thus she laughed and talked

whose "No" was sweeter than another's "Yes"

He feeds on thoughts that most delect

He impudently feigns her charms.

So revered in his own respect,

Clasped dreadfully by other arms.

And turns, and puts his brow that aches

Against the pillow where 'tis cold.

If only now his heart would break—

But, oh, how much a heart can hold!

—Coventry Patmore

Mrs. C. B. Gwynn and Master James Clifton Gwynn are expected today from Tallahassee, Fla., to visit Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Faircloth.

Mr. Royce Crawford left this afternoon for Tuscaloosa, to re-enter the University of Alabama, after spending several days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. B. Crawford.

Hambrie McLeroy—

A marriage of interest to friends here was that of Miss Addie Mae Hambrie to Mr. C. W. McLeroy, which took place Sunday afternoon at the home of Roy and Mrs. L. H. Jennings on N. Outer street, in the presence of a few close friends and relatives.

The bride was attired in a blue coat suit with hat to match. Mrs. McLeroy has made her home here for several months, having come here from Ashburn, Ga., to accept a position in the dress-making department of Fox Williams Co. She has won many friends by her sweet, gentle nature.

Mr. McLeroy is a popular tailor of the city, and has many friends, who offer sincere congratulations.

After the 15th of January Mr. and Mrs. McLeroy will be at home with Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Mathis on West Washington street.

Miss Brock to Lead

Inaugural Ball.

The greatest social event of the year takes place Monday evening, January 18th, when the State of Alabama will entertain at a ball at nine o'clock at the auditorium in compliment to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Henderson, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Henderson, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Henderson, the First Lady of the State.

The auditorium is being elaborately decorated for the occasion and great arrangements are being made for this gala event.

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gown march will be led by Miss

Nell Brock, a niece of Governor Henderson, and one of Montgomery's most attractive and popular young women. Her part in the march has not yet been decided.

Miss Anne Laurie Norton is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Morris Ford.

Mr. Joe Kirven Brantley of Troy spent Sunday here.

At the dinner party to be given by Mrs. Ella Henderson Brock in Montgomery on Wednesday, January 18th, in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Henderson, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Henderson of Dothan will be among the guests.

Miss Nannie Watson has returned from Birmingham, where she has been visiting with her family.

Frenzied Fashion—

What's going to happen now that Paris can no longer furnish our fashions for Spring? What shall we do now that the Dou de la Paix has given way to Blond way? Why we shall make the best of it, of course, and create American models from American ideas and make American styles.

Yet, the New York manufacturers are worried, no other word will express it—yes, they are very uneasy when they think of all those French models that will not materialize this year.

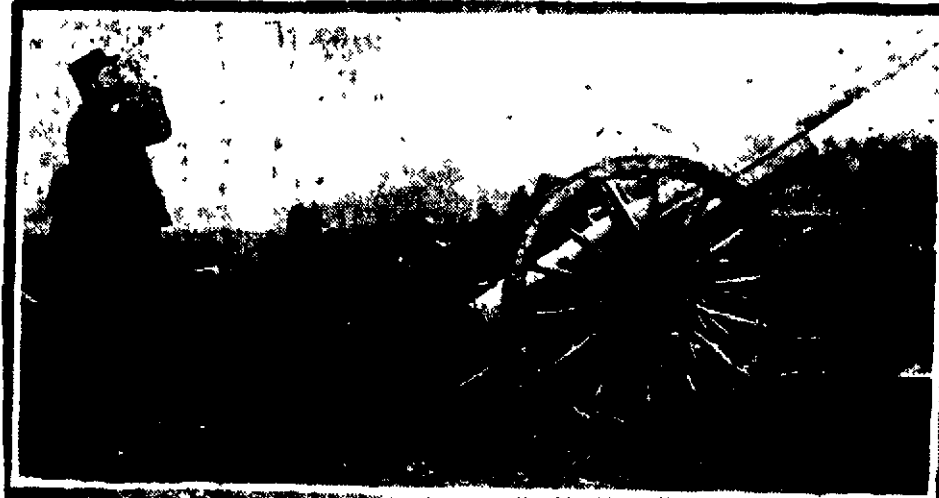
Many of the Paris dressmakers have gone to the front or have closed their houses. Others are doing business, but are not bothering with designing new models. Clothes are being made in Paris.

Let not fashions. Of course they sent out their winter models but that was before the worst terrors of the war were known. Ordinarily by this time New York is full of pretty and chic spring models. Manufacturers have declared despairingly that there seems no hope. But there is hope.

As the colonies progressed much later after they threw off the yoke of England and had to shift for themselves, so New York will progress when spring comes. The shop windows will be filled with new and original models. Manufacturers will see that they can get along without French designers. They will learn that in this country of ours are brains and skill enough to make all the clothes we need. The day will yet come when the mark of fashion will be not "Made in Paris" but "Made in America."

Miss Ruby Crawford, teacher of Mathematics in the High School here, has resigned her position and gone to Snowdon to accept a similar position. Miss Crawford is a most capable teacher and has made many friends here who will sincerely regret to learn of her decision to leave Dothan.

FRENCH DEFENSE AGAINST ZEPPELINS AND TAUBE



French gunners operating anti-aircraft gun on the firing line in Belgium. The gunners are endeavoring to bring down a German aerial scout who is circling high above the Allies' position in a Taube aeroplane, which have been used so effectively by the German aviators in making long flights over country occupied by the enemy.

Recipe for "Tattlers."

Take a handful of weed called runabout, the same quantity of nimble tongue root, a sprig of the herb back-bite (either before, or after the dog days), a tablespoonful of don't-you-tell-it, six drams of malice, a few drops of envy (can be purchased at the shop of Miss Tabitha Tea-Table and Miss Nancy Night-Walker).

Stir all well together and simmer half an hour over the fire of Discontent, kindled with a little Jealousy. Then strain through the rag of Misconception, cork it up in the bottle of Malevolence and hang it upon a skein of Street Yarn.

Shake it occasionally for a few days and it will be fit for use. Take a few drops before walking out and the subject will be able to speak all manner of evil and that continually—Mobile Item

Mr. and Mrs. Bradford D. announce the birth of a daughter.

Governor Henderson lined with the whiskey-optionists first thing.

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LIST OF PRIZES

SCHOOL ATTENDANCE & GENERAL IMPROVEMENT CONTESTS

For the purpose of stimulating interest in educational advancement in our rural schools, the following prizes have been offered:

1. For the school showing the best attendance, Choice of the following, in order of winning—

- Article * Donated By:
1. Koen Kutter Tools (Value \$3.00)—R. W. Glendinning & Co.
2. Picture—Misses Britt, Variety Goods Co., Dothan.
3. Curtains—Saxon & Heard Dry Store, Dothan.
4. To be selected—Saxon & Heard Jewelry Co., Dothan.
5. To be selected—Malone Hardware Co., Dothan.
6. Daily Eagle, 6 months.

2. For the best general improvement, Choice of the following in the order of winning:

1. Drawing Supplies for one year—Brown Drug Co., Dothan.
2. Teacher's Desk—Culver-Harris Furniture Co., Dothan.
3. Picture—Strickland Jewelry Co., Dothan.
4. Center Table—Malone Furniture Co., Dothan.
5. Globe—Clanton & Webb Co., Atlanta, Ga.
6. Bubble Fountain—Educational Exchange Co., Birmingham.
7. To be selected—Singer Sewing Machine Co., Dothan.

* Besides the prizes as announced, the Educational Exchange Co. will give a full sized map of Alabama to each school.

1. The contests are open to strictly rural (non-income) schools only.

2. The County Board of Education, or a committee elected by them, will make the awards based on a report made principal of each school, verified by the books and files of the County School Superintendent and the reports of the School Supervisor.

3. The contests began December 1, included work of School Improvement Day, and will close two weeks before Commencement (about March 1) the date of which will be fixed and announced later.

4. Prizes will be delivered at the Commencement.

5. Follow the Standard School Requirements in making reports.

O. O. TOLSON, Supervisor.